

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF SPEARS WATER )  
COMPANY, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO ) CASE NO.  
INCREASE CERTAIN NON-RECURRING ) 2000-265  
CHARGES )

O R D E R

On June 22, 2000, Spears Water Company, Inc. ("Spears") applied to the Commission for authority to increase certain non-recurring charges effective July 22, 2000.

The Commission finds that, pursuant to KRS 278.190, further proceedings are necessary in order to determine the reasonableness of the proposed rates and that such proceedings cannot be completed prior to the proposed effective date.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The proposed rates are hereby suspended for 5 months from July 22, 2000 up to and including December 21, 2000.
2. Nothing contained herein shall prevent the Commission from entering a final decision in this case prior to the termination of the suspension period.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2000.

ATTEST:

By the Commission

  
Executive Director